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In re Application of: Bondarev

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Title:

MODULATION OF LINE-1 REVERSE TRANSCRIPTASE

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed by the U.S. Patent Office on April 28, 2004, a response to which is due on or before September 28, 2004 with three month extension of time.

As required by the Notice, Applicant submits herewith Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.63. Applicant also submits a check in the amount of \$555.00 for the late oath or declaration surcharge and three-month extension of time. In addition, Applicant submits herewith a copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements.

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Applicant: Igor E. Bondarev Filed: January 15, 2004

For: Modulation of Line-1 Reverse Transcriptase

Docket No. 04-40018-US (501661.20001)

Dear Sir:

Enclosed are the following for filing in connection with the above-referenced application:

- 1. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application;
- 2. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application;
- 3. Petition for Three Month Extension of Time;
- 4. Submission of Sequence Listing;
- 5. Paper Copy of Sequence Listing;
- 6. CRF of Sequence Listing;
- 7. Declarations papers executed by Igor E. Bondarev and John S. Bertram;
- 8. Two checks, one check in the amount of \$490.00 to cover the fee for the Petition for Three Month Extension of Time and a second check in the amount of \$65.00 the late declaration surcharge; and
- 9. A self-addressed stamped postcard, return of which is requested to acknowledge receipt of the enclosed documents.

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- This application clearly fails to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR. 1.821-1.825. Applicant's attention is directed to the final rulemaking notice published at 55 FR 18230 (May 1, 1990), and 1114 OG 29 (May 15, 1990). If the effective filing date is on or after July 1, 1998, see the final rulemaking notice published at 63 FR 29620 (June 1, 1998) and 1211 OG 82 (June 23, 1998). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing", an initial paper or compact disc copy of the "Sequence Listing", as well as an amendment directing its entry into the application. Applicant must also provide a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

For questions regarding compliance to these requirements, please contact:

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• \$65 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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